

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: VIVLEMORE, Tracy Ann Art Unit: 1635
Re: Application of: ZHAO, Hong, et al.
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 For: **POLYMERIC OLIGONUCLEOTIDE
 PRODRUGS**
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Response to Second Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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March 12, 2007

Sir:

Responsive to the Second Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on March 1, 2007, Applicants provide a substitute Listing Of The Claims, wherein the previously objected informalities have been fully corrected. It is submitted that this Response is timely filed, since the Amendment and Response submitted on September 20, 2006 was in reply to a Non-Final Office Action.

The Listing Of Claims starts on page 2 of this document.

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